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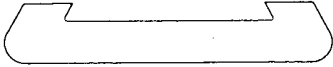
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**AEROSPACE COMPONENT GANTRY CRANE
KUYBYSHEV AEROSPACE PRODUCTION PLANT 1, USSR**

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1. (S/D) SIGNIFICANCE: A LARGE GANTRY CRANE, USED FOR THE TRANSLOADING OF AEROSPACE COMPONENTS, IS BEING ERECTED AT THE NORTHEAST EDGE OF KUYBYSHEV AEROSPACE PRODUCTION PLANT 1.
2. (S/D) REMARKS: THE GANTRY BEAM IS 61 METERS IN LENGTH AND WILL BE 20 METERS OFF THE GROUND WHEN COMPLETED. THE GANTRY CRANE IS IN LINE WITH THE LARGE ASSEMBLY HALL BELIEVED TO BE PRODUCING THE NEW AEROSPACE-RELATED COMPONENTS. THE PROXIMITY OF THE CRANE TO KUYBYSHEV/BEZMYANKA AIRFIELD [REDACTED] AND THE ASSEMBLY HALL INDICATES THAT IT WILL SERVE AS A MOUNT/DISMOUNT DEVICE FOR SPACE-RELATED COMPONENTS MANUFACTURED HERE. THE COMPONENTS WILL PROBABLY BE TRANSLOADED ONTO A MODIFIED BISON B FOR TRANSPORT TO RAMENSKOYE FLIGHT TEST CENTER [REDACTED] AND TYURATAM AIRFIELD 3 [REDACTED] WHERE SIMILAR GANTRY CRANES HAVE BEEN ERECTED. THE GANTRY RAIL CONSTRUCTION HAD PROBABLY BEGUN [REDACTED]

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(S/D) KUYBYSHEV AEROSPACE PRODUCTION PLANT 1, APPROXIMATELY 700 NM NORTHWEST OF TYURATAM AND 300 NM SOUTHEAST OF RAMENSKOYE, IS A PRODUCER OF ROCKET ENGINES, SPACE RELATED COMPONENTS, AND POSSIBLY NAVAL CRUISE MISSILE COMPONENTS.

3. [REDACTED] COORDINATES 53-13-12N 050-18-00E

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